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1. "[REDACTED] the Ural Plant for Heavy Machine Building, named for Sergo Ordzhonikidze, in the town of Sverdlovsk. The trademark of this plant is UZTM.2. "In 1950 the plant had about 20,000 workers, employees and engineers. The manager was I. Chumichev.

3. "Plant production includes:

-For metal factories: blooming mills, casting cranes etc.

-For the petroleum industry: powerful drilling machinery, both stationary and 'full-track', armature for towers etc.

-Also, 'full-track' excavators, bulldozers and cranes.

4. "The plant also has a tank section. This was managed in 1950 by Major-General B.G. Mazrukov of the Tank Engineers. Attached to the tank section is a construction bureau--TKB-UZTM. This was directed in 1950 by Colonel of the Engineers L.I. Gorlitski. Production in the tank section in 1950 included light self-propelling artillery platforms:

- SU-76: 76-mm guns of the 1942 model on the chassis of the light T-80 tank, with a 2-X-GAZ-203 motor, 170 HP

- SU-76 antiaircraft: 76-mm antiaircraft guns of the 1940 model on the chassis of the light T-80 tank with the 2-X-GAZ-203 motor, 170 HP

I can give no production figures. Fourteen furnaces were in operation in the tank section in 1950."

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